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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

Claim 1 (Currently amended) A composition <u>comprising</u> <u>eensisting</u> <u>essentially</u> of a thermoplastic material, <u>said</u> thermoplastic material selected from the group consisting of polypropylene, polyethylene, chlorinated polyethylene, polyethylene terephthalate (PET), polyamides, polysulfones, polyetherimides, polyether sulfones, polyphenylene sulfide, polyacetal, polycarbonate, ethylene tetrafluoroethylene copolymers, aromatic polyesters, grafted phenylene ether rein, liquid crystal polymers and mixtures thereof, containing fillers wherein said fillers comprise: (A) 1-20% by weight of graphite; (B) 4-30% by weight of a carbon fiber; and (C) 1-20% by weight of mica, said composition having a coefficient of friction of less than or equal to 0.20, wherein the weight percentages are based on the total weight of the composition, and wherein the thermoplastic material comprises at least 50% by weight of the total composition, and wherein the sum amount of said thermoplastic, said graphite, said carbon fiber, and said mica is at least 85% by weight of the total composition.

Claim 2 (Withdrawn) A composition according to claim 1, further comprising (D) 0-15% by weight of a particulate polyimide.

Claim 3 (Withdrawn) A composition according to claim 2, wherein said thermoplastic material comprises 45-92 weight %.

Claim 4 (Withdrawn) A composition according to claim 3, wherein said thermoplastic material comprises preferably 50-86 weight %.

Claim 5 (Withdrawn) A composition according to claim 4, wherein said thermoplastic material comprises most preferably 65-70 weight %.

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Claim 6 (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1, wherein said thermoplastic material comprises liquid crystal polyesters (LCPs), <u>polyimide</u> or polyether ketone ketone (PEKK).

Claim 7 (Previously presented) A composition according to claim 1, wherein the carbon fiber is chopped.

Claim 8 (Previously presented) A composition according to claim 1, wherein the carbon fiber is milled.

Claim 9 (Previously presented) An article made from a composition according to Claim 1.

Claim 10 (Previously presented) An article made from a composition according to Claim 6.

Claim 11 (Previously presented) An article made from a composition according to Claim 7.

Claim 12 (Previously presented) An article made from a composition according to Claim 8.